

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Andreas Ritter, et al.

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For: COMBINED OPERATING MODES AND FRAME TYPES IN TANDEM
COLD ROLLING MILLS

Examiner: Stephanie M. Jennings

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Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE

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Applicant hereby requests a two-month extension of the original shortened statutory period set in the Office Action of May 7, 2010. The amount of \$490 in payment of the government fee for a two-month extension of time is being paid by credit card.

In response to the Office action dated May 7, 2010, please take the following remarks into consideration:

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.